



**NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE BOARD**

24 August 1982

NOTE FOR: Chairman, CIPC

FROM: Walter Elder

SUBJECT: Monthly Activity Report for  
July 1982

The DDCI notes:

"FYI: [redacted] is to brief Casey when  
they're both here to discuss Casey's  
questions."

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The Director of Central Intelligence  
Washington, D.C 20505

**Critical Intelligence Problems Committee**

DCI/ICS-82-4237  
10 August 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: CIPC International Terrorism Working Group

SUBJECT: Transmittal of CIPC Study: Proposal for Upgrading  
Intelligence Community Efforts Directed Against  
International Terrorism (TCS-814305-82) (U)

1. The DCI approved publication of the subject study on 20 May 1982 and forwarded it to the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs. [REDACTED]

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3. I wish to thank each member of the Working Group for your excellent support in the preparation of this study. Copies of the study are being forwarded to NFIC principals under separate cover. [REDACTED]

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The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

DCI/ICS 82-4224

20 May 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Honorable William P. Clark  
Assistant to the President for  
National Security Affairs

SUBJECT: USG Counterterrorism Efforts

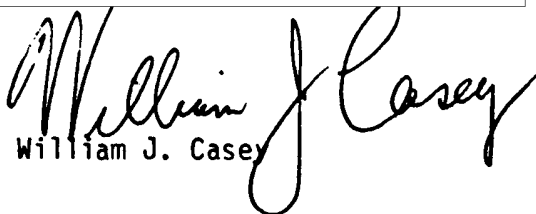
1. In an interim report to you on 22 March I provided a description of Intelligence Community efforts to date against international terrorism, and I indicated that a more detailed review of Intelligence Community activities regarding this problem was being undertaken. The attached study by the Critical Intelligence Problems Committee (CIPC) forwards the results of that review. [REDACTED]

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2. It is apparent from the candid conclusions and recommendations in the CIPC study that the Intelligence Community can improve its efforts against international terrorism in several areas through some management initiatives and without significant shifts in available resources. I have taken steps to implement the recommendations in the study and I will keep you informed of our progress. [REDACTED]

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William J. Casey

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## CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

International terrorism, which is both an intelligence and a counterintelligence problem, poses a complex collection and analytic challenge for the Intelligence Community. The numbers and diversity of terrorist groups, the often sporadic nature and transnational flow of terrorist group activities, and the worldwide dispersion of terrorist group operational areas, makes it an elusive target. Because international terrorism is a government-wide problem, it also poses an equally imposing management challenge--one which has grown steadily as the Washington counterterrorism network, particularly the non-intelligence portion of it, has expanded.

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